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First Six Articles Declared Illegal; Sports Bill Passed

State House and Town Counsel Join in Declaring Kidd Articles Illegal—Last Three Articles Pass with Little Opposition

Buried under an avalanche of legal technicalities, six articles dealing with the unemployment situation went down to an ignominious defeat at the town meeting last Monday evening, while an article asking the transfer of over $1600, one asking the appropriation of $2000, and another asking for sanction of Sunday sports were adopted by overwhelming votes. The first six articles prepared by William A. G. Kidd proved to be illegal, with letters from Edward D. Fenton, Acting Director of Accounts at the State House, and Town Counsel Daniel J. Murphy, serving as the authoritative statements on the matter.

The first article asking for a transfer from the Reserve Fund of $10,000 for use by the Board of Public Welfare was declared illegal on the grounds that the statutes provided that the Finance committee alone should make such transfers. The second article requesting an appropriation "for the purpose of providing work to Andover's unemployed" was thrown out because as Mr. Fenton stated, "this is not a purpose for which the town is authorized to appropriate money." The next article asked that the town vote that the prevailing rate of town wages be paid for all work done under the town departments, and this was ruled illegal because it is the departments themselves which have the sole power of regulating the wages paid. Article four asking that the Town of Andover vote to have the Board of Public Welfare spend two-thirds of the money now on hand for the purpose of providing work for the unemployed was declared invalid on the grounds that the statutes do not give this board the power to expend money for "employing unemployed citizens as such." The fifth article seeking the adoption of the forty-hour five-day week was ruled too indefinite to permit of any immediate action. Then finally the request for an appropriation to defray the expenses of a committee to bring to Andover "good, sound industries" was thrown out

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Courteous Circle to Attend Meeting

The annual Convention of the Essex County Association of The King's Daughters and Sons will be held in Lynn at the East Baptist Church next Wednesday, October 5, at 10.30 o'clock. The Not Our Own Circle will be the hostess.

The County President, Mrs. Allan G. Shepherd, will open the convention at 10 a.m. and will preside at both sessions. There will be an address by Mrs. Victor E. Miller of Quincy, State President of the Order, and Mrs. Herbert L. Trull of Lowell, First Vice President, will also be a guest of the convention and will speak on her work as State Chairman of Bible Study. There will be an organ recital by Wesley Robinson and Miss Mary Mader of Saugus will be the soloist. Rev. J. Lester Hankins pastor of Trinity Methodist Church of Lynn will give a dramatized message.

Members of the local Courteous Circle who are planning to attend this meeting are asked to notify Miss C. Madeleine Hewes, Tel. 402 M. Miss Hewes will give the response at the morning service.

Board Decides to Spare Tree

The tree at the corner of Main and Chestnut streets near the Post Office will remain standing for the present at least, according to a decision made by the Board of Selectmen Monday afternoon. A hearing was held in the Lower Town Hall at which William J. Burns, owner of the corner lot, was represented by his brother, Hon. Joseph L. Burns. Opposition to cutting down the tree was presented by the Andover Village Improvement Society and the Andover Garden club, both represented by Hon. Frederic N. Chandler. Judge Chandler stated that if cutting the tree down would help Andover business, he would support it, but since Mr. Burns had no definite proposal for the development of his lot, he did not feel that the tree should be felled. The tree is a very large one, and the fact that its roots extend into the ground for some distance had a great deal of bearing on the situation. Tree Warden Ralph T. Berry presided.

Attractive Prizes at Party Tonight

A bridge lamp is to be the door prize at the whist party to be held tonight in K. C. hall under the auspices of the Carnival Committee. Play will start at 8.30. Plans have been made to care for an unusually large attendance. The party is the first of a series at the conclusion of which a grand door prize, a pair of hand-tooled brass candlesticks, will be awarded. The award will be based on a drawing for which all those who have attended the entire series are eligible.

The committee consists of Grand Regent Mrs. Frank A. Welch, chairman; Mrs. George Manock, Mrs. Joseph E. Fallon, Mrs. Frank J. Shiebler, Mrs. S. Frank Burns, Mrs. William J. Doherty, Miss Josephine Sullivan, Mrs. Charles J. Bailey, Thomas W. Lynch, M. A. Burke, Frank S. McDonald, Frank Nelligan, Arthur Smith, Augustine P. Sullivan and P. J. Barrett.

A barn dance, featuring Casey's orchestra, will be held next Friday in K. C. hall. Corn stalks will serve as decorations, and there will be free cider and doughnuts. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

The dance committee follows: John P. Alexander, chairman; Joseph Bouleau, Mrs. Frank A. Welch, Miss Mary Young, William Greene, James Sullivan, Augustine P. Sullivan, Henry J. Dolan, William L. McDonald, Frank S. McDonald and William A. Harnedy.

Twenty-five New Voters Register

Twenty-five names were added to the Voters' list at the registration at Precinct four Wednesday night. The list follows:

Precinct One—Grace K. Pattillo, 107 Main street.

Precinct Three—Louise L. Thompson, 16 Riverina road.

Precinct Four—Helen J. Sayles, 101 Salem street; Josephine P. Blackmer, Highland Wayside; Edna M. Thompson Gould road; Dorothy D. Eccles, 238 South Main street; Nettie H. Chisholm, Ballardvale road; Julia C. Trowbridge, 25 Highland road; Mary Elizabeth Dix, Alden road; Margaret E. Selden, 42 School street; Edith C. Kelley, Sunset Rock road; Edna P. Todd, 95 Abbot street; Elizabeth A. Robinson Bancroft road; Hugh D. McClellan, 1 Orchard street; Willet L. Eccles, 238 Main street; Alexander B. Trowbridge, Jr., 25 Highland road; Alan R. Blackmer, 1 Highland Wayside; G. Roger Hinman, 109 Main street; Edward H. Bradford, 138 Main street; John K. Converse, Wildwood road; George T. LeBoutillier, 7 Orchard street; Joseph A. Lynch, Gray road; Lawrence Allen, Jr., 6 Stonehedge road; Helen B. Moody, Ballardvale road, and Percy W. Moody, Ballardvale road.

More new voters will register Wednesday evening from 7 to 9 in the Administration building at Shawsheen.

Births

A daughter, Ruth Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Schultz, Salem street, Andover, September 26.

A son, to Lieut. and Mrs. Thomas L. de Rivera, Long Beach, California, August 1. Mrs. de Rivera was the former Miss Ruth A. Pritchard of Morton street, a graduate of Abbot academy and Simmons College.

Begin New Season at Woman's Club

The Shawsheen Village Woman's Club will open its eleventh season Monday Evening, October 3rd at 7.45 with Mrs. Eugene V. Lovely, the newly elected president presiding. A fine program has been planned. The music will be furnished by a string ensemble from the Calvary Philharmonic Orchestra of Lawrence, August H. Peterson Conductor. This group will also play during the informal reception to officers and new members following the program.

Mrs. Samuel H. Thompson, retiring Tenth District Director will bring greetings and will present Miss Lillian G. Runnells of Newburyport, the new Tenth District Director. Mrs. Norman H. Hastings, Chairman of American Home for the State Federation will be the speaker. The arrangements for the reception are in charge of Mrs. Leon Field and her Hospitality Committee. Mrs. Percy Holt and her committee will furnish refreshments.

The following committee chairmen have been appointed for the ensuing year: Music, Mrs. Harold T. Houston; Program, Mrs. H. Garrison Holt; Dramatic, Mrs. J. Albion Burtt; Literature and Education Mrs. Dana Kirkland; Community Service, Mrs. John M. Lynch; Hospitality, Mrs. Leon Field; Flower, Mrs. Frank B. Bartlett; House, Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Publicity, Mrs. Clinton H. Stevens.

The Club Chorus under the capable direction of Mrs. Frederick C. Smith is planning for a busy year beginning with a get-together at the home of Mrs. Frank Gould in the near future. This is one of the most active and enjoyable departments in the club.

Vale T. W. Club Holds Whist Party

Tuesday evening the T. W. club held a whist party at the home of Mrs. Frances Benson, Marland road. The following were prize winners: Door prize, Eva Kibbee. Cake dish, Mrs. Fred Fyler; fruit dish, Mrs. Louis Kibbee; sugar, Fred Harkins; glasses, Mrs. F. O. McNally; strainer, Mrs. James Keating; towels, Raymond Metcalf; memo pad, Patrick McKay; table cloth, Mrs. Martin; beads, Dora Harkins; coffee, James Randall; novelty, Mrs. Arthur Dowd; sugar and creamer, Mrs. Nelson Townsend; soap, Arthur Kibbee; waste basket, E. W. Brown; peanut butter, Charles Evans; shade, Del Shattuck; napkins, Mrs. Robert Ryan; waste basket, Eva Kibbee; most no scores, James Randall; consolations, Mrs. DuBlois and Del Shattuck.

What's Going On

(from today until next Friday)

Saturday

Football—Punchard vs. Parker Boys' school of Boston at the Playstead.
Andover vs. New Hampton at Brothers' Field.

Tuesday

Public meeting on issues of campaign at George Washington Hall, 8:15.

Whist Parties

Tonight—K. of C.-C. D. A. at K. of C. Hall, 8.30.
Tuesday—S. of V. Auxiliary, G. A. R. hall, 8.00.
Thursday—V.F.W., Musgrove Bld., 8.00.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Amy Phillips of Essex court is spending two weeks in Connecticut visiting relatives.

Miss Marion Coutts of Elm street is now a student nurse at the Deaconess hospital, Boston.

Edward Rondeau, formerly of Andover, is playing left guard for the Vermont academy team this year.

Joseph I. Pitman participated as a member of the Massachusetts skeet team in its match with Connecticut Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson and family of Red Spring road spent the week-end at their camp in Kingston, N. H.

Miss Dorothy L. Stupp of Andover is spending a few days in Washington and is a guest at the Dodge Hotel while there.

Miss Hilda Lynde, 195 Main street, and Miss Katherine B. Roth, Taylor Hall, have entered Vassar college at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Saunders of West Newbury are visiting at the home of Mrs. Saunder's brother, Leonard Saunders, High street.

Arthur Coleman of Andover post, 8, American Legion has been appointed to the resolutions committee of the Essex County Council.

"Special for Friday and Saturday: Friend's Oat Meal Bread, Maple Walnut Cakes, Cherry Pies and Cup Cakes—on sale at all independent stores."—Adv.

The Lions club voted $25.00 to Stowe Junior High for football jerseys at the meeting last week. The school is badly in need of helmets and other equipment.

Russel M. Lawson, Edward H. Bradford, George Forsythe, Herbert E. Wormwood, and Bradford L. Boynton have resumed their studies at the Lowell Textile Institute.

Joseph L. Burns was elected chairman, Henry J. Dolan secretary, and William A. Harnedy, treasurer of the Democratic town committee at its meeting Tuesday night.

Mrs. Horace C. Bodwell, 71 Elm street, telephone 899, wishes to announce that she has resumed her magazine subscription business and is ready to receive orders. Adv.

Mrs. Frank Welch, Mrs. Frank G. Burns and Miss Ethel Polgreen attended the concert held Saturday evening at Jordan hall, Boston by the Massachusetts State Court of the C. D. A.

Miss Margaret Petrie was chosen first president of the District Assembly of Massachusetts to the Ladies' auxiliaries of the O. S. C. Mrs. Samuel R. Harris was elected a trustee for two years.

William C. Bliss of 54 High street, has resumed his studies at the Bryant & Stratton Commercial School. Mr. Bliss was graduated from Punchard High School before he entered Bryant & Stratton.

The Misses Pauline H. Burt of Avon street and Shirley Copeland of Wolcott avenue have entered the Katharine Gibbs School, 90 Marlborough street, Boston, to take a course in secretarial and executive training in preparation for entering business.

Horace Killam of Porter road is resuming his local music teaching at his residence studio. Pupils will also be taught at their homes if more convenient. A series of musicales, similar to those presented last season will be given by the pupils during the winter.

Miss Helen Moody, normal trained teacher of piano and voice, resumed teaching in Andover at her usual studio last Saturday. Miss Moody is well-known in this vicinity and to New England's radio listeners through her unique programs broadcast from Stations WEEI and WHDH.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Pritchard of Morton street have just returned from a trip to California and the Pacific Northwest. While on the trip they enjoyed visits with their daughters Mrs. Thomas L. de Rivera, Long Beach, California, and Mrs. Frank S. Tapley, Long View, Washington.

Rally Day Sunday at South Church

Rally Day will be observed at the South Church School Sunday at 9.45 a.m. Mrs. Hilda Ives will speak at the first teacher's meeting of the year on Wednesday evening. A general invitation is extended to all for the 7.15 address. Anyone interested to attend the supper at 6.15 should notify Mrs. Henry E. Dix before Monday night.

An Appreciation of the Emergency Committee

Thank God for men with breadth of soul
That meet a duty and play the role
Of servant to a brother-man
And help him through this awful jam.

Thank God for men whose only creed
Is not of self when there is need
To succor those poor weary souls
That are struggling upon the shoals.

Thank God for men who toe the mark
Of Conscience, that eternal spark
That drives them on to greater fame
Of service in the Master's Name.

R. V. DEVERMOND

Andover Veterans to Mark Armistice

The two local veterans' posts, Andover Post, 8, American Legion, and Andover post, 2128, Veterans of Foreign Wars, are now formulating plans for the observance of Armistice Day, November 11. Both posts will conduct exercises during the football game between Punchard and Methuen at the Playstead.

The Legion group will be hosts to the Methuen post thus reciprocating the neighboring town's courtesy of a year ago. The V. F. W. will have a prominent speaker to address the gathering, a salute will be fired, and a quartet of buglers will sound taps.

The Vets committee has not been announced as yet. Those in charge of the Legion observance are: Joseph T. Remmes, chairman; Frederick R. Hulme, Arthur L. Coleman, Christopher L. Ambye, Arthur Jowett, Robert B. Christie, Charles A. Bowman, James Sparks and Joseph A. McCarthy.

County Association Meets in Andover

The local Ladies' Auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans were hostesses Wednesday afternoon and evening to the Essex County Association. The meeting of the association held in the afternoon was followed by whist and supper. Vice president Mrs. Winfield C. Folley presided at the evening auxiliary meeting in the absence of President Mrs. Leon Gray.

The guests who made remarks during the program were: Department President, Mrs. Maude B. Warren of Brockton, Department Past Commander of the Sons of Veterans, Charles Appleton of Dorchester; Past Department Treasurer, Mrs. Mary Carr of Melrose and District Aid, Mrs. Beulah Coupe of Lawrence.

The local unit will hold a whist party Tuesday night with Mrs. William H. Navin, chairman. Nomination and election of officers will be held at the next meeting.

V. F. W. Plans to Sponsor Whist

A whist party will be held by the local post of the V. F. W. in the Musgrove building next Thursday evening. An attractive array of prizes has been collected by the committee in charge which consists of Guy Martin, George Abbott, Harold Cates, James J. Dugan, Jr., Charles Bowman, and Robert V. Deyermond.

Democrat, Socialist, Republican to Speak on Campaign Issues

Public Meeting to Be Held in George Washington Hall Tuesday Evening under Auspices of Andover League of Women Voters

The Andover League of Women Voters with the kind cooperation of Phillips Academy, is holding a nonpartisan meeting in George Washington Hall next Monday evening at 8.15 at which Gaspar G. Bacon, the Republican Candidate for Lieutenant-Governor will present the Republican Platform and discuss the National Issues from the Republican point of view; John E. Swift the Democratic candidate for Lieutenant-Governor will present the Democratic Platform and tell why he is a Democrat; and Professor Colston Warne, of the Department of Economics at Amherst College will present the Socialist Platform and discuss the reforms which his party would like to see inaugurated.

The league has arranged this meeting feeling that the voter faces a serious responsibility at the coming election. At no time in recent history has it been more necessary for the individual voter to acquaint himself thoroughly with the issues at stake. Upon his vote will depend the governmental policies of the next four years, and it behooves him to take his responsibility seriously. Every man and woman of voting age should take the trouble to understand the party platforms and the qualifications of the candidates at this next election and should use this knowledge in casting his vote on November eighth.

The Andover League of Women's Voters is presenting this opportunity to the Voters of Andover next Tuesday night. All are cordially invited. The admission is free.

Honorable Gaspar G. Bacon, lawyer, was graduated from Harvard in 1908 and received his L.L.B. in 1912. He is a practising lawyer in Boston, a director of a number of organizations, and member of many Clubs. He served in the World War as captain and then as Major of Field Artillery of the 81st Division. His record as State Senator reads from 1925 to 1932, and he has served as president of the Senate from 1929-1932.

Mr. John E. Swift, lawyer, graduated from Boston College in 1899, and received his L.L.B. from Boston University in 1902. He is a leading member of the bar in Boston and Milford, and is a law partner of David I. Walsh, United States Senator from Massachusetts. He is Supreme Director of the Knights of Columbus.

Professor Colston Warne, teacher and lecturer, received his Ph.D. degree in economics from Chicago University. He taught thereafter five years at the University of Pittsburgh. Last winter when lectures were given over the radio under the auspices of the National Education Association, he gave a series on economics. He is Associate Professor of Economics at Amherst College.

Legion Post Elects New Commander

James Sparks was elected commander of Andover Post 8, American Legion at the annual election of officers held Tuesday night in Legion hall. He succeeds Commander Arthur Jowett, who has completed a very successful term. During the past year Mr. Sparks has served capably in the capacity of vice-commander, and his advancement is well merited. The installation of the newly-elected officers will take place next month.

The officers elected are as follows: Commander, James Sparks; first vice commander, Joseph T. Remmes; second vice commander, Robert B. Christie; adjutant, Joseph A. McCarthy; finance officer, Arthur L. Coleman; service officer, Frank P. Markey; chaplain, Frederick E. Cheever; sergeant-at-arms, Herman J. Hilton; historian, Scott H. Paradise; executive committee, Frederick R. Hulme, John H. Long and William A. Buchan.

Reports on the competition were received and plans for Armistice day were discussed. On the occasion of the opening of the post office the post is planning to provide cachets to be used in connection with the first day covers now being collected by philatelists. The four stamp magazines will carry notices. This is planned as a move to provide favorable publicity for Andover.

Unusual Contest at Baptist Church

Next Sunday is Rally Day at the Andover Baptist church Sunday School. Those present last Sunday were divided into two groups, Red and Greens. Each one of these groups is out to tag the largest number with their color for attendance next Sunday.

Several Thousands Witness Competition

Beverly, Malden, and Lowell Units Outstanding in Successful Event Held by Andover Post, American Legion—Malden Drum Major Awarded Medal

The Beverly post bugle and drum corps, clad in natty white uniforms, marched, drilled, and played their instruments for a high score of 108.80 in the competition held by Andover post last Saturday afternoon and as a result took home a prize of $100 for having made the best record of all the colorful units which participated in the event. Beverly also won a silver loving cup donated by Representative Thomas J. Lane for having given the best maneuvering performance in Class B.

The competition was so successful that the committee was able to award more prizes than they had planned peviously. Lowell won $60, Malden $25, Lawrence, $25, Framingham $30, and Stoneham $25. In addition cups were awarded to North Andover and to Dorchester. The townspeople were out en masse and there were also many visitors from other towns. With such support the tags were sold rapidly, so that when the time came for announcing the prizes, new ones were added and old ones were increased.

Malden Colorful

The Malden corps, winner of second prize of $25 in Class A maneuvering, was the first unit on the field. Their uniforms were the most colorful in the competition, and this feature attracted considerable interest among the spectators. Their playing was very good, with the "Marseillaise" and "Hail Massachusetts" being the principal numbers. Lowell's large corps, attired in black and gold, was the next to take the field. The Lowell corps was awarded first place in Class A maneuvering, beating out Malden by 3.30 points. Including the drum major, there were forty-three members in this particular outfit. A unique feature was their singing of "Hail Massachusetts" and their playing of the Cohan hits, "It's a Grand Old Flag" and "Yankee Doodle Boy."

The first Class B corps to compete was the Thomas J. Roberts post unit of Dorchester. The Class B groups were given only eight minutes as compared with the Class A's fifteen minutes. The Dorchester post clad conservatively in the standard Legion uniform and shiny helmets, was awarded a cup donated by Essex County Commissioner Frederick Butler.

The Beverly corps proved to be paraders and musicians par excellence. Though in Class B they were allowed fifteen minutes by virtue of their position as Essex County champions. Twice during this period the unit stopped in front of the grandstand to render a few martial numbers which were well received by the spectators.

Anderson Substitutes

North Andover's black and white clothed unit was led by the Andover drum major, John A. Anderson, who consented to perform in this role in the absence of the neighboring town's leader. The corps did very well and was awarded first prize in the open class. Its prize was a cup donated by Congressman William P. Connery, Jr. Its repertoire was quite extensive considering the amount of time at its disposal. Among the favorites that the unit played in addition to "Hail Massachusetts" were "Long, Long Trail," "Over There," and "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here."

Billy Murphy led his large Lawrence corps on to the field next. Participating Saturday were 46 members, including the drum major. They, too, wore the conventional Legion

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Grange Honors Its 25 Year Members

The attendance at the Grange meeting on Tuesday was a tribute to Charles M. Gardner, who was to speak but was unable to because of illness. However, his substitute, James C. Farmer, National Lecturer, was a happy choice. His address on, The Call of the Grange, was to the point, and left no doubt in the minds of his listeners as to the position the Grange holds and what it stands for.

Silver certificates were presented to seventeen members who have completed twenty-five years of continuous membership in the Grange. There are still quite a number who are eligible and they will receive theirs at a later date. Those who received certificates on Tuesday evening were, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burtt, George M. Carter, Mrs. G. L. Averill. Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Hill, Mr. and Mrs, Frank Bailey, Mrs. Nellie Mooar, Philip Mooar, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boutwell, E. Burke Thornton, Madeleine Hewes, Edward S. Hardy, J. Harry Playdon and Samuel H. Bailey.

In the Spring the Grange offered five prizes to members of the 4-H Clubs having the best gardens. A committee was appointed to visit and judge the gardens. Arthur Peatman was chosen leader of the Ballardvale 4-H Club and Walter Lewis of the Stowe School Club. Sixteen qualified and the interest was keen especially among the Ballardvale members, and this it is believed was because Mr. Peatman personally devoted much time to overseeing and helping his club members and the result showed when three of the five prizes went to the Ballardvale club; the first, five dollars, to Helen Anderson, the only girl contestant; the second to James Platt of the Stowe Club; the third to Ralph Greenwood, Ballardvale; the fourth to Edward Cherowbrier, Stowe; the fifth to Foster Zink, Ballardvale. The 4-H clubs are to be the guests of Andover Grange at the Christmas party on December 20.

The next meeting of the Grange will be first and second degree with the second degree by the men's team.

Family Reunion Enjoyed Sunday

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Stott of 405 Main street last Sunday afternoon. The group present enjoyed dinner and then spent the afternoon renewing family ties.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank McIntire, former North Andover residents, their son Paul, his wife and two children, Helen and David; Mrs. Austin Dow and Miss Abbie Lowe former North Andover residents and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Rand, all of Saco, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Page and children, Isabel and Leonard of Gorham, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lowe of Arlington Heights, George E. Metcalf of North Andover and the following from Andover: Mr. and Mrs. George Stott, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Stott and daughters, Evelyn and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Stott and children, Douglas, Richard, Edith, Irene and Dorothy and Charles Colling.

Emergency Committee Will Outline Plans

Invites 100 Leading Citizens to Meeting in Town Hall Tonight—Includes Representatives of Organizations, Clergy, and Town Government

Tonight the opening gun in the Emergency Committee appeal will be fired, with a meeting of 100 leading citizens scheduled to take place in the Town Hall at 7.30. The meeting has been called by the committee for the purpose of outlining the plans for the coming appeal.

The communication sent out by the committee follows:

"At the special town meeting held Monday night a resolution was offered endorsing the past efforts of this committee; thanking it on behalf of the community and asking it to carry on with assurance of the Public's support. In presenting the motion Moderator Stearns asked that it be 'passed with a ring'. It was. The committee will carry on.

"We ask you to meet with us Friday evening September 30 at 7.30 o'clock in the Town Hall when a plan for pushing forward the work, in combination with the Red Cross, will be outlined. You are one of a carefully chosen Hundred. Your presence will be a confirmation of the Town meeting resolution of endorsement. We need you. At this meeting you will not be solicited for funds.

"This committee of one hundred—in a single concentrated effort of brief duration—can solve the problem of unemployment relief for the coming winter."

Those who have been invited are:

Rev. Newman Matthews, Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Rev. Alfred C. Church, Rev. Charles A. Branton, O. S. A, Rev. Charles W. Henry, Rev. Marion R. Phelps, Rev. Everett R. Barrows, Professor Charles H. Forbes, Miss Bertha Bailey, Mrs. Frank A. Welch, Mrs. Beatrice Hunter, Howell F. Sheppard, Frank McDonald, Arthur Sweeney, Charles B. Roberts, Matthew Burns James Caldwell, Mrs. Henry Hopper, Miss C. Madeleine Hewes, Arthur R. Lewis, Philip F. Leslie, James Gillespie, Ralph T. Berry, William A. Doherty, Arthur Jowett, James J. Dugan, Jr., Frank H. Hardy, Andrew McTernen, Dr. J. J. Daly, William D. McIntyre, Thomas Dea, Frank Buttrick, J. H. Playdon, Walter I. Morse, Walter E. Piper, Joseph Higginson, Harry A. Bodwell, Fred S. Boutwell, Frank L. Brigham, Harrison Brown, I. R. Kimball, M. A. Burke, Joseph L. Burns, Frederick Butler, A. H. Chamberlain, John Traynor, Arthur L. Coleman, Joseph A. McCarthy, Jerome W. Cross, Maurice J. Curran,

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Term at Abbot Gets Underway

Since the opening of school (on September 22), several elections have been held. Betty Snyder is head of the Entertainment Committee, and Catherine Campbell is Editor-in-chief of the Class Book board. Alice Hill is business editor, Clara Smith her assistant, Mary Elizabeth Burnham, literary editor, Katherine Whittemore her assistant; Ann Cleveland, art editor, Alice Schultz, assistant, and Barbara Worth, Senior president, is ex-officio.

The officers of the Senior-Middle (1934) class are: President, Katherine Damon; Vice President, Lena Hamilton; Secretary, Sarah O'Reilly, and Treasurer, Mary Rockwell.

Mr. Van Peursem, father of Gertrud Van Peursem, '31, and Cecile Van Peursem of the present school, gave an interesting talk on the manners and customs of Arabia (the land where he is stationed and where his daughters have received their earlier education) at the morning chapel exercises on September 23.

Dr. Faith L. Meserve of Weston gave the physical examinations with Miss Mary Carpenter, physical director, on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, September 24, 26, and 27.

Miss Bailey addressed the school at hall exercises on Saturday afternoon, September 24. The presidents of Student Council, of the Abbot Christian Association and of the Abbot Athletic Association (Clara Shaw, Betty Weaver and Frances McGarry) gave brief expositions of these school organizations.

Chapel on Sunday evening was conducted by Miss Bailey.

Under Betty Snyder's management, a "Depression Party" was held on Tuesday evening, September 27, where the new girls and old girls became better acquainted.

The Rev. M. W. Stackpole will conduct the evening service on Sunday evening in Abbot Hall, October 2. Parents and friends of the school are always welcome to the weekly services.

On Tuesday evening, October 4, the underclassmen will have an entertainment while the Senior class will enjoy its annual picnic.

There are in the school a girl from China, one from Arabia, one from Turkey, and one from California, whose varied experiences will prove an addition to the school's knowledge of distant places. There is a fine group of day scholars who should contribute much to the school life under Ann Cole's able leader ship.

Memorial Service for Dr. Palmer

Sunday afternoon a memorial service will be held in Christ church for the late Rev. Frederic Palmer, D.D. It is expected that many of his friends and former parishioners will attend. The memorial address will be delivered by Bishop Lawrence, and Rev. John W. Suter, Custodian of the Book of Common Prayer, will take part in the service with Rev. Charles W. Henry, present rector.

Fettes Elected by Odd Fellows

Charles Fettes was chosen Noble Grand of Andover lodge, 230, I. O. O. F., at the meeting in Fraternal hall Wednesday night. Ralph T. Berry is retiring this year.

The officers elected: Nobel Grand, Charles Fettes; vice grand, Lindsay Kinnear; recording secretary, Ira Buxton; financial secretary, Arthur W. Hall; treasurer, Robert Lochhead; trustee for three years, David M. May and representatives to the grand lodge: David M. May, Herbert W. Ford, James Kinnear and Ralph T. Berry. Installation will take place in October.

Refreshments were served after the meeting by the following: Robert Lochhead, chairman; Charles Fettes, Lindsay Kinnear, James Kinnear and James Skea.

Whist Party Postponed

The whist party scheduled to be held in Fraternal hall by the Ways and Means Committee has been postponed to October 14.

Town Meeting May Again Be Called

The possibility of another special town meeting developed this week when Tuesday morning William A. G. Kidd announced that he would circulate another petition and this time would seek legal advice on the wording of the articles. Yesterday afternoon he stated that he had not yet put the petitions in circulation, although he might do so early next week. He added that he would not carry out the plan if it would be detrimental to the chances of new industries coming to the Smith and Dove buildings, or if the Emergency Committee could guarantee a substantial sum.

Free Church Clubs Resume Activities

The church school rally of the Free church will be held Sunday and on Sunday evening a rally will also be staged by the Christian Endeavor. Last Sunday evening the C. E. met with its new president, Alex Stewart, presiding. Mr. John Gallagher spoke to a greatly interested audience on his experiences at the Northfield conference. Plans were completed for a "weenie" roast which will be held tonight on Prospect hill. Those attending will leave the church at 6.30.

On October 5 the first monthly supper will mark the inauguration of the fall rally of the church. Mrs. George Boddy is chairman of the supper committee, while Miss Ethel Ackroyd and Miss Etta Brown in charge of waitresses. Rev. Alfred C. Church, pastor, will conduct family worship.

The Helping Hand society will resume its season October 11 and the Woman's Alliance will open October 13. The harvest supper will be October 21. October 9 will mark the opening of the fall Sunday evening services with Mrs. Roy Bradford in charge. Mrs. Edward Wilder will be the speaker.

Smith and Dove Property Bought

Announcement was made Wednesday that local interests had bought the Smith and Dove plant from the present owners, the Ludlow Associates. The statement as given to the Press did not include the names of the buyers. The plant was bought with the hope that new industries could be brought here.

The plant closed down about two years ago when the old Smith and Dove Company became consolidated with the Ludlow Manufacturing Associates, with offices in Boston and a plant at Ludlow, Mass. Since then many Andover people here laid the blame for unemployment on the closing of this plant. Many of the workers moved to Ludlow.

The property includes three large mills and five smaller ones, a large storehouse and two smaller ones, and about ten acres of land.

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Town Meetings Unnecessary

A few weeks ago a small group of Andover citizens presented a petition to the Board of Selectmen as a result of which a special town meeting was called. Last Monday night the voters gathered in the Town Hall to hear the six original articles all declared illegal because of defects in the wording. Fortunately three of the articles were worded correctly so that the town meeting was not a total loss.

The townspeople are becoming tired of this seemingly incessant demand for special meetings. They certainly have a right to be irritated when they are brought together to act upon something that proves unworthy of even a negative vote. Town meetings cost money. Everyone knows that, but still the little group of complainers continue to spend the taxpayers' money under the pretext of helping the unemployed. Time and time again the voters of Andover have reposed their confidence in the Emergency committee and now once more an impressive vote of appreciation has been given these citizens who have so unselfishly given their brains, time, and money to help out the unemployed. They have been hampered from the start by the little group of malcontents who have by calling town meetings made potential contributors feel reluctant to make donations because of the possibility that they would once again be assessed through taxation.

Somehow a halt should be called; in some way or other these few unemployed must be made to realize that they are not only wasting the public's money but are also injuring their own chances of receiving aid from the townspeople. Call another town meeting now and what will happen? The Emergency committee will again be hindered in its work; the town treasury will be further depleted; and finally the voters will assemble, defeat the articles, and then proceed to pass another vote of confidence in the Emergency committee.

It will probably be hard to secure one hundred signatures for another petition, but if the sponsors of another meeting do succeed in this, there is a possibility that the Board of Selectmen could refuse to call the meeting. This has never been done in the past, for as a matter of policy it has always seemed best to grant a special town meeting when one hundred voters ask it. However, when the same people continue to petition for special meetings in spite of the fact that they have been continually defeated in previous meetings, it would seem that the selectmen might be justified in refusing to issue the warrant. There is really no reason why the town treasury should be bled just to satisfy the stubbornness of a few agitators. The town has officially gone on record as favoring the Emergency committee method of handling the unemployment problem. Why then should this little band attempt to make the public change its mind, when they must realize from Monday night's happenings that the town is bitterly opposed to any special appropriation? From the reading of the statutes it would seem that with proper reason the selectmen might legally refuse to call a special meeting even on the petition of one hundred voters. There certainly seems to be sufficient reason now to oppose any expenditure for a special town meeting.

It seems unfortunate that something approaching the English system could not be put in force here. In England candidates for office have to make a certain deposit and if they are not chosen, they lose their deposit. The system is used to discourage candidates who could never win an election. Andover would have fewer town meetings if the sponsors were required to deposit a sum equal to the expenses of the proposed meeting, the sum to be forfeited if the articles were not approved. There certainly would be no such wild goose chases as took place last Monday night.

Emergency Committee Will Outline Plans

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Ralph F. Curtin, Fred H. Eaton, James H. Eaton, Elmer J. Grover, Mrs. Ralph E. Hadley, Miss Margaret Curran, Rev. A. N. Taft, Rev. Lorentz I. Hansen, Mrs. Walter Shorten, Edmund Hammond, C. Carleton Kimball, Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, Peter J. Myers, Shirley W. Barnard, R. N. C. Barnes, Homer Foster, Harold R. Rafton, George A. Christie, E. Barton Chapin, William Harnedy, Clifford W. Dunnells, H. Gilbert Francke C. W. Holland, Roy E. Hardy, Karl G. Harig, W. L. Knowles, David R. Lawson, John T. Lord, John T. Mercer, Claxton Monro, George F. Robjent, James C Sawyer, L. R. Field, Burton S. Flagg, G. Edgar Folk, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. French, Archie N. Frost, George B. Frost, James E. Greeley, Henry S. Hopper, Mitchell Johnson, Frank R. Markey, Kate P. Jenkins, James K. Selden, Philip W. Thomson, Augustus P. Thompson Henry G. Tyer, George H. Winslow, Thaxter Eaton, James L. Toohey, Mrs. Byron H. Horne, Mrs. Horace Poynter, Hugh Davey, Mrs. Annie P. Davis, Florence I. Abbott, Frank L. Brigham, Mrs. H. Garrison Holt, Willis K. Tewksbury, William A. Trow Dr. W. Dacre Walker, Joseph G. Walworth, William C. Ford, Edward P. Hall and Mrs. Eugene V. Lovely.

Several Thousands Witness Competition

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uniform with a little extra braid. Their prize of $25 was given for securing first place in Class A straight marching.

Stoneham also won $25 as second prize in Class B straight marching. Framingham won first in this competition with a score of 70.99 and the closeness of the result is shown by the fact that Stoneham was only .83 points behind.

An additional award of a medal was given to Ernest W. Place, Malden drum major, for being the outstanding drum major on the field.

Parade Worthwhile

Prior to the competition a parade was held through the center of the town. Motorcycle officers acted as the vanguard with Arthur L. Coleman, general chairman, acting as chief marshal. Assisting him were Frederick R. Hulme and Joseph A. McCarthy. The Board of Selectmen, honorary chairmen, followed in a machine driven by James L. Toohey. Commander Arthur Jowett was next in line. The two color guards in the parade consisted of Timothy Madden, H. Garrison Holt, C. Edward Buchan, and George Keith; and Percy J. Dole, Joseph T. Remmes, Harry Rodger, and Francis Zecchini.

Next the various corps followed at wide intervals. The order in which they appeared in the parade was as follows: Malden, Stoneham, North Andover, Lawrence, Haverhill, Framingham Beverly, Lowell, Dorchester, and Andover. The Haverhill group withdrew from the competition because their corps was incomplete.

The judges assigned for the competition were: Inspector, Capt. Oscar C. Bohlin of the First Corps of Cadets of Weston; cadence and drums, Irving Hill of Post 169, Randolph; bugles, D. A. Ives of Boston and marching and maneuvering, Capt. J. W. Lally of Jamaica Plain, member of Belmont Post, 165. Mr. Ives drilled the buglers for the Andover corps.

Defeated Candidate to Support Lovett

With Andover for the first time in the Seventh Congressional District, interest is centering on the contest for election between Charles W. Lovett Republican, and William P. Connery, Jr., Democrat. In the primaries Lovett defeated Francis J. Chrestensen for the nomination. Assurance of a united front was given this week when Chrestensen wrote to Lovett that he intended to support him.

The letter follows:

Dear Sir:

I wish to extend my most sincere congratulations to you on your splendid victory in the primary on last Tuesday. Your vote shows that you have the support of the great majority of the Republican voters of this District, and I hope that every one who voted for me in the Primary, will stand with you on election day. The change in the District surely insures us of a fine chance of a Republican victory on election day, and it is my sincere hope that you may be our next Congressman.

Sincerely yours,
FRANCIS J. CHRESTENSEN

Local Boys Visit Lawrence Plants

Wednesday afternoon the members of the Andover Bull Dogs Club under the supervision of James N. Cole visited the Bolta Rubber Co. where they were met by John Bolten, President of the Company and shown through the factory. The making of combs was demonstrated and each boy was presented with a comb.

The boys were then the guest of Mr. I. R. Kimball of the H. P. Hood Co. After having been shown the plant, the boys were then each given a Hoodsie and a bottle of milk.

From the Hood plant the boys went to the Continental Baking Co. Here Otto H. Eschholz, Manager showed the boys how Wonder Bread was made.

The following members were present: William Rich, George Rockwell, William Coolidge, Donald Thompson, Stanley Cleveland, James Kidder, John Bolten, Jr., Benjamin Cole and James N. Cole.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Fairweather of 3 Ayer street announce the engagement of their daughter Jean R. to Fredrick J. A. Gidley, son of Fredrick Gidley of 13 Ashland avenue, Methuen. The wedding will take place this fall.

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Six Articles Are Illegal; Sunday Sports Bill Passed

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because the town could not legally appropriate money for such a purpose.

Three Articles Passed

The Board of Public Works was granted the use of an unexpended balance of about $1600 for the purpose of building gravel roads almost without discussion. The next article asking an appropriation of $2000 for buying material for the extension of a water main was approved after a report was presented from the Board of Health stating that the wells in that region contained contaminated water. The labor will, it is expected, be provided by the various town departments and the sponsors also have the promise of a steam shovel to take off the first few feet for the laying of the main.

The Article asking for approval of Sunday sports was swept in by an unexpectedly large margin as the result of a tirade launched by Edward Dombrowski against the "old men who read books on Sunday afternoons," "the big shots who can play tennis at fifty cents an hour and golf at $150 a year," and the young men who have to shoot dice down at the cricket field to pass off their Sunday afternoons. The speaker was evidently stirred up by the remarks of George B. Frost who had pictured the coming of professionalism to Andover. John Traynor, who stated that he came from a race which has been playing ball on Sunday afternoons after going to mass on Sunday mornings for centuries, ably seconded Dombrowski.

Dr. Stearns Moderates

Dr. Alfred E. Stearns, headmaster of Phillips Academy was able to serve as moderator in spite of his recent illness. The account of the meeting follows in part:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the Reserve Fund to the Board of Public Welfare the sum of $10,000 or any part of this amount.

Moderator: I would like to say a word before we take up this article. Having heard there was a great deal of questioning about town as to the legality of this article, the moderator called up the town clerk suggesting that legal opinion be secured in advance of this meeting. I found that the town clerk had already secured that information, and before we discuss that article 1 would like to ask Mr. Hardy, chairman of the Board of Selectmen, to read the opinion of the town counsel, and that of the Acting Director of Accounts at the State House.

Frank H. Hardy: The letter from our town counsel, Daniel J. Murphy, reads as follows:

"In reply to your inquiry as to the legality of Articles 1 and 4 in the warrant for the Special Town Meeting of Monday, September 26, 1932, I am of the opinion that both Articles if adopted by affirmative votes would be illegal in the sense that they would have no validity.

"The statute which creates the authority for a Reserve Fund, General Laws, C. 40, No. 6, specifically states that there shall be 'no direct drafts against this fund.' It specifically places the power and responsibility for transfers upon the Finance Committee. The responsibility of this Committee has been recognized by the Supreme Judicial Court in Twombly vs. Selectmen of Billerica, 262 Mass. 214 at 221, where the Supreme Court speaks of the 'official responsibility' of the Finance committee. Since the Legislature has placed the power of transfer from the Reserve Fund in the Finance committee the Town cannot supersede the Legislature when the Legislature has indicated the method of transfer.

"As to Article 4 it should be observed that expenditures of the Board of Public Welfare are those and only those authorized by Statute. The Board of Public Welfare is only another name for the Overseers of the Poor (See Statute 1923, c. 26) with additional authority conferred from time to time by the Legislature. When the Town voted an appropriation for the Board of Public Welfare that appropriation must be expended in accordance with the powers conferred upon the Board by law, and the statutes nowhere confer upon the Board of Public Welfare a duty or an authority to expend money for employing unemployed citizens as such. The legal stress in connection with Board of Public Welfare has to do with citizens or persons having a legal settlement who are in circumstances of indigence or distress, and these terms and their legal implications are not synonymous or co-extensive with the term employment.

"There is nothing written herein which is to be taken as limiting the power of the town over an unexpended balance existing at the end of the municipal year or of an unexpended balance remaining after a specific work has been completed, provided the requirements of Chapter 428, Acts of 1931, as to the approval in writing of the Commissioner of Taxation have been satisfied; but an affirmative vote on Articles one and four would carry no legal sanction, would not control either the Finance committee or the Board of Public Welfare, and would be merely informative of the sentiment and wishes of the Town Meeting."

Mr. Fenton's statement follows:

"1. Under Article 1, I am of the opinion that no action can legally be taken as this article is worded in the warrant. The reserve fund voted under authority of General Laws, Chapter 40, section 6, can be transferred only by vote of the finance or appropriation committee, and the town, having once appropriated this money, cannot in my opinion authorize transfers from the fund."

Moderator: Ladies and gentlemen, that leaves the situation in rather an awkward state. The moderator, on the strength of those opinions from the State House and from the town counsel would feel justified in declaring this article void, but I hesitate to take the position as drastic as that, because it is a subject of immense interest to the town, but I am going to suggest that while it may seem wise to debate it, we have two very definite legal opinions that such action can only be regarded as a discussion and in no way binding on any of the town Boards or any of the Selectmen. I leave it to you to consider.

William A. G. Kidd: It was with the expectations of having the Finance Committee approve of that article that it was put in the warrant. Since we have no approval, I move that it be struck out.

Moved: To strike article one from the warrant.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $20,000 or any part of this amount to be used under the direction of Andover Board of Public Works for the purpose of providing work to Andover's unemployed.

Moderator: I will ask Mr. Hardy to read the letter he has pertaining to the legality of this article.

Mr. Hardy: This is what Edward W. Fenton, Acting Director of Accounts has to say: "Article 2 is not in proper form as it does not indicate the purpose for which the appropriation is to be made other than providing work for the unemployed which is not a purpose for which the town is authorized to appropriate money."

Moderator: In view of that statement, may I ask what is your wish.

Mr. Kidd: The reason there was no purpose indicated as to how the money was to be spent was because the unemployed felt that the Board of Public Works would use it to the best advantage of the Town. It was not our intention to give them instructions. I think I see your point of trying to stop this. We should be given a chance to discuss it. If it is thrown out without discussion, it only means that another town meeting will be called, and if you want to go to that expense, it is up to you. If you will allow me, I will give you a brief sketch of the unemployment situation of the town.

John F. O'Connell: I move that the speaker be given unamimous consent to speak on that subject.

Mr. Kidd: Thank you. I wish to give you some very brief facts of the state of conditions in Andover. Many of your unemployed citizens who own their own homes, the homes they worked and saved to obtain, failure to secure work means the loss of these homes. Their wives and children are now undernourished and they have been merely existing for the last three years. They have spent the last of the small fund they had put away for a rainy day. Some of them who pay rent are behind as much as six to twelve months. Their debts to the grocer, the butcher, and the baker are such that if they got work tomorrow, their noses would be to the grindstone for many days to come. Many of them will have no coal for the winter and will not have any unless the coal man will give them credit. Many of them have cashed in on their insurance policies and the insurance companies have been very generous, but if death should come to their homes they would not be able to pay the undertaker. For many of these people the average weekly wage for the past few years has been less than ten dollars per week. Some of you citizens who have been receiving high wages, figure out how you would spend that small amount. Jobs of official rag-pickers have been created to supply clothes. Tonight in this town hall the unemployed request a fair and careful consideration in their plea for work. Now is the time to do it. The money will not only benefit the unemployed but some of it will find its way back to the town in the form of taxes.

Charles B. Roberts: I rise in support of article two. I do so because I feel it is my duty as a citizen of this fair town. We must remember that we have one of the greatest crises ever faced in these United States in any period of history. We cannot lose sight of the fact that we do owe something to the unemployed. We know that the town has done quite a lot in that respect, but we also know that whether we have one hundred or four hundred unemployed, as long as one man or one woman is unemployed it is our duty to help them. I am not interested in the people who will accept charity. I am interested in those who are willing to give their labor for some assistance. Although we are only a small town we must face our problems as citizens. I want you to step outside this town for a few minutes and see what effect unemployment has on men and women. Let us grant that the town gives them three dollars and some odd cents for a day's work. With their rent, insurance, and bills, that is not enough. Their children are undernourished, and these youngsters are to be the future assets of the town, and of this nation. Let us be business-like, and I ask that these men and women be given an opportunity. How many of you realize that in handing out charity you are demoralizing the individual? I say this myself because I know. Many people in this town have never asked for charity. Their families are assisting them. Why? because of pride. I can give an instance of my own. In 1929 I had to give up my business but I was quite willing to pay on my creditors. My problem then was to find a job. Finally, I was employed by the State of Massachusetts in the Department of Correction. My reason for speaking tonight was that I was asked by a group of men to represent them at this meeting. I appeal to your good intelligence and I appeal to the businesslike methods and management of the fathers of the town, and I say in conclusion that if you do this you will not regret it.

Joseph L. Chambers: It is too darn bad that bird wasn't put behind bars himself before the last town meeting. (much confusion) Excuse me, I didn't mean to say that. If he hadn't spoken against the State School when they were willing to spend forty million dollars, everybody would have been happy today. Because our honorable Mr. Roberts used his voice against that proposition where forty million dollars was going to be spent, this proposition was turned down by a group of selfish minded people, and I say that this man should not be here tonight. He is not consistent.

Moderator: You must remember that all we can do on this article is express our opinions.

George B. Frost: I would like to ask that before this motion is taken, the chairman of the Emergency Committee, John F. O'Connell, be asked to make some statement as to what is actually being done now.

Mr. O'Connell: The Andover Emergency Committee has been functioning exactly three months to the date of this meeting. It was appointed by the Board of Selectmen, who had previously called about 100 citizens together seeking advice as to how the growing problem of unemployment was to be met. After several methods were discussed, including special town meeting, or a cut of 10 percent in town wages, it was voted to form an Emergency committee. In the letters asking us to serve the Selectmen stated that if we accepted this responsibility we could be assured of the hearty co-operation of the community.

We launched our program upon this theory—that the taxpayers should be spared, if possible, this additional burden of caring for the unemployed and that funds should be raised by contribution. The Selectmen started the town employees participation by offering two weeks pay, which was unanimously followed by every other department. The committee felt that in Andover there were an unusually large number of residents, who were not burdened with real estate obligations ready and eager to give to such a cause as this. They would resent being denied this opportunity by saddling it solely upon the taxpayers.

That the committee's theory was sound was proven by the heartiness with which the Phillips academy folks responded. Dr. Fuess, who especially seemed to welcome this opportunity to show the town how the academy felt, came back after a two days canvass with $1800. He had previously assured us that the Red Cross would underwrite our headquarters expenses, so that every net penny would be used for the unemployed. Incidentally this expense has amounted to but $12 for an ideal clerk and the printing of our cards.

From all sources to date—including town employees—we have received approximately seven thousand dollars, which we think is remarkable. It has enabled us to give work to 265 men amounting to 2050 days work. We believe we have registered with us every unemployed person numbering 475, but of course all of these can not be accommodated.

Due to Mr. Curtis we have a splendid system. We are not often fooled, although in our early experience some things were put over on us. We have found upon occasion that a person whom we had given work had a

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Former Pastors to Attend Anniversary

Three former pastors of the Andover Baptist church, Rev. W. E. Lombard of West Springfield, Rev. E. H. Prescott of Newburyport, and Rev. C. N. Bartlett, summer pastor at Jackson, N. H., have accepted invitations presented by the Anniversary committee of the church to be present and participate in the Centenary program of the church on October 9th and 10th. These festivities are to commemorate the hundred years of service of the church, organized on October 10th, 1832. These pastors and former members of the church plan to be present for as much of the Centenary celebration as possible and during the Merrimack River Baptist association meeting to be held at the church on Wednesday, October 12th as part of the celebration. It is expected that Rev. Mr. Bartlett will speak at the morning service Sunday, October 9th, Rev. Mr. Prescott at the evening service, and that Rev. Mr. Lombard will give the banquet address on Monday evening the 10th.

Andover Churches

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street—Episcopal. Organized 1835

Rev. C. W. Henry, Rector

8.00 Sunday, Holy Communion; 9.30, Church School; 10.45, Holy Communion and Sermon; 4.00, Memorial Service: Address by Bishop Lawrence; 6.30, Y.P.F.

4.30 Monday, Choir: boys.

7.00 Tuesday, Boy Scouts.

4.30 Wednesday, Choir: boys; 7.30, Sherrill Club.

7.30 Thursday, Holy Communion; 7.30 p.m. Choir: boys and adults.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Essex Street. Organized 1832

Rev. Lorentz I. Hansen, Pastor

10.30 Sunday, Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor "The Everlasting Mercy". A service of inspiring worship. 12.00, Rally Day Session of the Sunday School. A Red-Green contest is on. Come and count for your friend.

7.00 Tuesday, Andover "Cubs" Troop No. 1 meets at the church under direction of Clare Norton, Jr.

7.45 Wednesday, Midweek service with the pastor in charge.

2.30 Thursday, Meeting of the new organization, "The Woman's Union" at the church; 7.30, Choir Rehearsal and Fellowship.

7.30 Friday, The Philathea class meets at the home of Mrs. Lundgren, 26 Elm street.

Sunday morning and evening October 9th, Monday, October 10th, and Wednesday, October 12th—Centenary Anniversary Celebration of the church. All old friends and members as well as pastors will be present.

SOUTH CHURCH

Central Street. Congregational. Organized 1711

Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Minister

9.45, Rally Day in the Church School; 10.45, Morning Worship and Sermon: "The Mystery of Spiritual Power"; 10.45, Church Kindergarten; 6.30, Christian Endeavor.

6.30 Monday, The Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters. Supper, Annual Meeting and Consecration.

6.15 Wednesday, Church School Supper. Rev. Hilda Ives will speak.

3.30 Thursday, Women's Union Prayer Circle; 6.30, A.P.C. Sorority Supper and Installation.

7.00 Friday, Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

FREE CHURCH

Elm Street. Congregational. Organized 1846

Rev. Alfred C. Church, Pastor

10.30 Sunday, Sermon by the pastor. Subject: Progressive Friendliness. 12.00, Church School Rally Day, Promotions; 12.00, Trustees' Meeting; 6.30, C. E. Rally Day ,Leader, Miss Janet Barwell.

7.00 Tuesday, Boy Scouts, Troop No. 2.

6.30 Wednesday, Church Night Supper; 7.45, Workers' Council;

6.30 Thursday, Rehearsal of Junior Choir; 7.30, Rehearsal of Senior Choir.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH

North Andover Centre. Unitarian. Organized 1645

Rev. S. C. Beane, Minister

10.30 Sunday, Rev. S. C. Beane will take as his subject: "Knowledge Not Enough." Singing by the Vested Choir; 11.30, Church School Rally. Enrollment of all who are to enter the kindergarten and older classes; 7.30, Reorganization and enlargement of Y.P.R.U. 10.10, An automobile leaves the Andover Bookstore, and at 10.15, a bus leaves Phillips and Abbot Academies for the Unitarian Church at North Andover. All are welcome.

WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1826

Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor

10.30 Sunday, Public Worship with sermon by the pastor, "Making a Better World: 3, The Motive." 12.00, Sunday School and Forum Class.

7.45 Wednesday, Meeting for Prayer and Study.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

"On the Hill"

Morning, Rt. Rev. Henry K. Sherrill of Boston; Vespers, Professor Charles H. Forbes, acting headmaster.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, BALLARDVALE

Rev. Marion R. Phelps

10.30 Sunday, Rally Day. Service of Public Worship, Sermon by the Pastor; 11.40, Special Rally Day Service by the members of the Church School; 6.15, Senior Christian Endeavor Meeting. Leader, Russell Hall; 4.00, Meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society.

7.45 Monday, Meeting of the Union Congregational Men's Club in the Church Vestry. All men of the church are invited.

2.30 Wednesday, Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the Church Vestry. Mrs. James Brierly will be the hostess.

SHAWSHEEN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Balmoral Hall (Non-sectarian)

9.30 Sunday School in Balmoral Hall.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Essex Street

Roman Catholic. Organized 1850

Rev. Charles A. Branton, Pastor

Sunday Masses: 6.30, 8.45, 10.30 a.m.

Holy Day Masses: 5.30, 7.00, 8.30 a.m.

Sunday evening: 7.45. Rosary, Sermon, Benediction.

Baptisms: Sunday 3.00 p.m.

First Friday. Masses: 5.30, 7.30 a.m. Communion 7.00 a.m.

First Sunday of Month Communion Day for Sacred Heart Sodality.

Third Sunday of Month: Children's Communion Day.

Fourth Sunday of Month: B. V. M. Sodality Communion Day.

Devotions in honor of St. Therese every Friday evening, 7.45.

Confessions: Saturday afternoons and evenings, and afternoons and evenings before Holy Days of obligation.

The Andover Townsman

Items from By-Gone Years

Twenty-five Years Ago

The batters are up for John McCarthy's new house on Wolcott avenue and work has begun on the cellar.

George A. Higgins, Walter S. Donald, George L. Averill, George L. Burnham and William Frye attended the county convention at Beverly on Tuesday.

M. H. Gould who exhibited some Guernsey cattle at the Brockton fair this week was a close second in winning the prizes offered for this breed.

Mrs. Frank M. Foster attended the meeting of Pomona Grange held in Newbury yesterday.

C. Emerson Stone, an instructor in Phillips Academy, who has been in Europe for a year, visited friends in town this week. Owing to ill health Mr. Stone will have another leave of absence from his duties at the Academy.

This year's registration of students at Phillips Academy records an unusually large number. Up to Monday night the total number amounted to 464.

At the meeting of the Andover Club held Wednesday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, H. M. Eames; vice president, C. F. Palmer; secretary, Dr. H. F. Holt; treasurer, Barnett Rogers; board of directors ,Lewis T. Hardy, George A. Brown, Frank H. Hardy, and J. E. Whiting; entertainment committee, F. H. Messer, F. H. Hardy, Dr. Holt, Dr. A. E. Hulme, Andrew McTernen; house committee, Dr. Holt, L. F. Hitchcock, Burton S. Flagg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shaw are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madden of Wheeling W. Va.

Ten Years Ago

Charles F. Emerson and family spent the week-end at Ipswich.

Miss Justin Clark of Roxbury, formerly of this town, was a week-end guest of her sister, Miss Laura Spence of High street.

Miss Ruth Allen of Cheshire, Connecticut, has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Colver J. Stone.

The Free Church C. E. is planning to have a frankfort roast on October 6 at Pomp's pond. The committee consists of Hilda McKenna, Ruth Saunders, and Bertha Cuthill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Smith and son of Beverly were week-end guests at the home of Chief of Police and Mrs. Frank M. Smith.

Miss Mira Wilson has returned to Smith College after the summer vacation.

Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge will hold a social after the regular meeting of the lodge next Monday evening. The entertainment will be in charge of Mrs. Donald Laurie.

Elizabeth McClellan's name appears on the honor roll of Smith College for the year 1921-1922.

The Tyer Rubber company which for many years has paid to the Town of Andover the largest corporation tax, now gives way to the Shawsheen mills.

A very pleasant affair occurred at the home of Miss Mary Caldwell on Elm street last Friday evening when the friends of Miss Jean MacDonald showered her with a number of beautiful gifts in honor of her approaching marriage to Charles Dallas of Beverly.

Miss Mary A. Welch, who is to be married shortly to John Alexander of No. Andover was rendered a shower Monday evening.

Rev. Francis Ronan, O. S. A. was ordained priest by his eminence Cardinal Dougherty at Villanova, September 24.

Several members of the local R. C. O. A. enjoyed a fishing trip off the coast Sunday. John Carse pulled in an eight-pound pollock, the biggest catch of the trip.

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FOR SALE—Rug and knitting yarns by manufacturer. Samples free. H. A. BARTLETT, Harmony, Maine.

LEGAL NOTICES

Town of Andover

Office of Collector of Taxes
Andover, Mass., September 28, 1932
TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Andover, in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Andover by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes, with interest and all legal costs and charges, or the whole of the land situated within boundary of the town of Andover, if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the Collector's Office, Town House, in said Andover on Friday, October 21, 1932, at 9 o'clock A.M., for the payment of said taxes with interest costs, and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

WILLIAM B. CHEEVER
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Andover

MARY A. KENNELLY—A lot of land with the buildings thereon situated on Elm Court bounded and described as follows: Westerly by land now or formerly of Downes, northerly by land now or formerlyo f Bickell and land of heirs of William Barnett, northwesterly by land of Bickell to a corner at land of Higgins now or formerly, easterly to a corner at land of Flint, southerly by said Flint's land to a point 9 feet north of the north line of said Elm Court, southwesterly by land now or formerly of Flint to the point of beginning. Containing 14,465 sq. feet.

Tax of 1930	$81.59
Tax of 1931	102.85

GEORGE IRELAND—A lot of land situated in Andover known as lot 68 bounded and described as follows: northerly by lot 67, westerly by lot 71, southerly by lot 69, easterly by North Main Street, containing 3980 sq. feet more or less.

Tax of 1930	$5.18
Tax of 1931	4.84

SARAH E. HODSON—Certain parcels or lots of land situated in that part of Andover known as Shawsheen Village and being lots numbered 10-24 on Canterbury Street. The total area of said lots being 170, 282½ sq. feet.

Tax of 1930	$90.65
Tax of 1931	146.67

PHILLIPS CORPORATION—A lot of land situated in the West Parish of said Andover on the southerly side of High Plain Road bounded as follows: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of said land on the said ot of land of Abby J. Smith, southerly by corner of land of the Estate of Frank Phelps, westerly and northwesterly to a corner in the land of Peter D. Smith, northerly by High Plain Road, northeasterly by High Plain Road to land of Smith at the bounds first named, containing 11.65 acres of land.

Tax of 1930	$18.13
Tax of 1931	16.94

FRANCOIS V. HENUSET—A certain parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone bound with copper rod set in wall along Wood Road so called and running southerly 613.2' to a point, thence westerly at right angles 113 feet to a point, thence northwesterly 507.9 feet to a point, thence northeasterly 415 feet to the point of beginning, containing 3 acres of land.

Tax of 1930	$6.48
Tax of 1931	6.05

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LOST

Andover Savings Bank

The following pass book issued by the Andover Savings Bank has been lost and application has been made for the issuance of a duplicate book. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.
BOOK NO. 43849
FREDERIC S. BOUTWELL, Treasurer
September 23, 1932

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lyman A. Belknap late of Andover in said County, merchant, deceased, held in trust for the benefit of John Belknap, and others:

WHEREAS, Old Colony Trust Company, the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the sixteenth to nineteenth accounts inclusive of its trust under said will:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lawrence in said County, on the tenth day of October A.D., 1932 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed, and the items thereof be finally determined and adjudicated.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR.
Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
ESSEX, ss.

To the devisees under the will and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie E. Sullivan late of Andover in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, William J. Delaney administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Lawrence in said County, on the tenth day of October, A.D., 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR.
Register

Town of Andover

Office of the
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Andover, Mass.

You are hereby required on or before December 1, 1932 to destroy the gypsy and brown tail moths on your property in this town.

This notification is in accordance with Chapter 132, General Laws, which requires cities and towns to destroy the eggs, caterpillars, pupae and nests of the gypsy and brown tail moths under heavy penalty for failure to comply with the provisions of the law.

If a property owner fails to destroy such eggs, caterpillars, pupae and nests, then the city or town is required to destroy the same and the cost of the work, in whole or in part, according to the value of the land, is assessed upon and becomes a lien on the land. (Section 18, Chapter 132, General Laws, on reverse.)

The Selectmen ask owners and tenants to co-operate with the town in its work on highways and other public grounds by doing effective work on their premises. Citizens who have cleaned their premises of the moths, but find their trees endangered by the neglect of owners of adjoining estates should make complaint to the Selectmen. The infestation of a residential neighborhood by the neglect of a few will not be tolerated.

The eggs of the gypsy moth should be destroyed at once with creosote. They should never be scraped off the object on which they are laid. Careful search should be made for gypsy moth egg clusters, not only on trees, but also on house walls, stone walls, fences and in rubbish heaps, etc. Trees in which cavities occur and which it is not desirable to cut should have the cavities tinned or cemented. This is important. The present and future cost of combating this insect can be greatly reduced by cutting and burning worthless brush, hollow trees, etc. A few trees well-cared for are more valuable to the property owner and the community than a large number of neglected trees.

The nests of the brown tail moth should be cut from the trees, carefully collected and burned in a stove or furnace.

Full instructions as to the best methods of work against the moths may be obtained from the Local Superintendent, Ralph T. Berry, or from the State Forester, Room 519, State House, Boston, Mass.

Work done by contractors should be inspected and approved by Local Superintendent before payment for the same is made.

FRANK H. HARDY
ANDREW McTERNEN
JEREMIAH J. DALY
Selectmen
September, 1932

With The Other Towns

Governmental Notes of Interest

Ipswich Refuses to Sanction Salary Cuts

(By the Ipswich Chronicle)

IPSWICH—Over 300 voters were present at the special town meeting in Ipswich last week which quickly disposed of a warrant of eleven articles. The voters indefinitely postponed action on an article requesting a contribution from Town Employees of 10 percent and also on an article providing a 10 percent reduction in town salaries.

The articles that were not indefinitely postponed or otherwise eliminated were Article 2 under which $1334.51 was voted from the overlay excess fund for soldiers relief; Article 3 under which $610.63 was voted for the new boiler at Town Hall to replace the worn out equipment, the money to be raised by notes or bond issue; Article 7, under which $2000 to be raised by note or bond issue was voted for unemployment relief under the direction of the special committee now serving; and Article 9, under which it was voted to accept the report on layout of the Towns Great Neck property. Action on the other articles was negative, a motion under Articles 4 and 5 to instruct the Selectmen and Town Counsel to consult with the Board of Health with the object of enforcing the rules and regulations relative to sewerage disposal having been lost; and indefinite postponement voted on Article 6 requesting a contribution from Town Employees of 10 percent on pay per annum $1200 and up and 5 percent on less amounts; Article 8 limiting aid to those refusing employment offered by the Committee; Article 9 providing a 10 percent reduction in all Town Compensation; and Article 11 relating to the removal of the elm on Market Street which was refused by a vote of 74 to 49.

A vote was also passed under Article 7 that the Unemployment Committee provide some plan whereby voluntary contributions for unemployment relief could be received, the donors to have the privilege of designating how their contributions be spent.

Stoughton Man Tells of Tax Ass'n Benefits

(By the Braintree Observer)

BRAINTREE—The possibility of having a Taxpayers' Association in Braintree was considerably advanced last week as a result of a Chamber of Commerce meeting which voted to refer the matter to the Board of Directors for further consideration and adoption. President W. D. Aitken, Jr., presided and the speaker of the evening was H. A. Johnson of Stoughton and other business men from that town. These gentlemen were familiar with the detail of the taxpayers' association, recently organized in that town. Mr. Johnson stated that during the first year of organization the association in Stoughton had reduced the town budget by $30,000, by having the cooperation of the appropriation committee and cutting the budget from $380,000 to $350,000. This reduction in the Stoughton appropriation cut the taxes down $3.

Marriages

Harold Brigham Roper, Highland street, South Hamilton, Mass., to Beatrice Elizabeth Buxton, 19 Summer street, Andover, September 24, by Rev. Charles W. Henry.

Death

Frederic A. Roberts, 471 South Main street, Haverhill, at the Shawsheen hospital, September 24. Interment was at the Walnut cemetery, Haverhill, on September 26.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
ESSEX, ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Edward F. Roggemann, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Edward Albert Roggemann, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the seventeenth day of October A.D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR., Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
ESSEX, ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary T. McCarthy late of Andover in said County (wife of John E. McCarthy) deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John E. McCarthy of Andover in the County of Essex without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the seventeenth day of October A.D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR. Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT
ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Francis H. Johnson late of Andover in said County, deceased, held in trust for the benefit of Mary Beach Johnson and others:

WHEREAS, Francis J. O. Alsop and Charles Stetson, the trustees under the will of said deceased, have presented for allowance the fifth to tenth accounts inclusive of their trust under said will:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County, on the seventeenth day of October A.D., 1932 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed, and the items thereof be finally determined and adjudicated.

And said trustees are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR., Register

WEST PARISH

Miss Mary K. Barnard visited Miss Dorothy Lewis on Wednesday.

The interest in the Wednesday night prayer meeting is growing as the increased attendance shows. A most interesting book is being studied.

The annual Pow Wow at the West Church was most successful this year. One hundred were served at supper and the booths were all well patronized.

The Lafalot Club will meet on Tuesday evening with the Misses Marion and Ruth Abbott, Main street. Important business is to be transacted and a full attendance is desired.

Walter F. Lewis, of Andover, has been elected sergeant-at-arms of the freshman class at the Massachusetts State College. Lewis is the son of Herbert Lewis, of 128 Lowell street, Andover.

The Woman's Union will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the vestry. Frederick Butler, county commissioner, will speak on his work. This meeting is in the charge of the Civics committee, Mrs. Edward W. Boutwell, chairman. Mrs. Henry Todd and Mrs. Johnson are the hostesses.

Punchard Opens with 19-0 Victory

Collecting sixteen first downs to their opponent's three, the Punchard football eleven plunged to a 19 to 0 victory over the Manning High team of Ipswich in the opening game of the season at the Playstead last Friday afternoon. Lester Hilton, Jr., smashed through to two touchdowns and Captain Higus Asonian tallied once.

Punchard played extremely well for an opening game, with a strong plunging attack and a near airtight defense making the home team the masters throughou . In the first and third quarters the Ipswich aggregation was overwhelmed by the heavy charging forward line and the hard plunging backfield of Coach Lovely's boys.

The first touchdown came after John Deyermond's recovery of a Manning fumble on the visitors' 42-yard line at the beginning of the game. Asonian and Hilton plunged their way to the four-yard line and from there Asonian skirted right end for the first score of the 1932 season. The captain then place-kicked for the extra point, with Bisset holding the ball.

The last two touchdowns came close together shortly after the start of the second half. Punchard, receiving the kickoff on its own 38-yard line, began its drive with a 17-yard forward from Bisset to Nicolls. Plunging brought the ball to the nine-yard line and then Hilton took the ball around the right end for the score. The place-kick failed.

Soon after Captain Asonian snatched an Ipswich pass out of the air and ran the ball back 15 yards to the visitors' 20-yard line. Bisset gained eight, and following short gains by Bisset and Hilton, the latter took the ball to the one-yard line, scoring on the next play.

The Parker Boys' school of Boston will meet the local team here tomorrow afternoon.

Friday's line-ups:

PUNCHARD		MANNING
Deyermond, C.	Mitchell, Russell, l.e.	r.e., Arnold, Leclair Austin
Milnes, Hurley, l.t.		r.t., Hayes
Pike, Winters, Giamo, Meadowcroft, l.g.		r.g., Geonopolous, Gorski
Doherty c.		c., Podmostka
Howe, Lovely, Hall, r.g.		l.g., Bournazos
O'Brien, Perkins, r.t.		l.t., Art Leclair, Retalis
Nicolls, Daly, r.e.		l.e., Adams, Biakle, Bartneski
Bisset, P. Mitchell, q.b.		q.b., Budzianowski, Maguire
Hilton, l.h.b.		r.h.b., Greenberg
Asonian (Capt.), r.h.b.		l.h.b., Anzuoni
McCarthy, Mayo, f.b.		f.b., Cynkus Merry

Score by periods:

	1	2	3	4	Tot.
Punchard	7	0	12	0	19

Touchdowns: Asonian, Hilton 2. Point by goal after touchdown: Asonian. Referee, G. W. Pike, Vermont; umpire, W. A. Sidley, Dartmouth; linesmen, A. V. Regan, St. Ambrose; Coutts and Pickard; time, four 8s.

Farms for Sale to Be Listed Free

The Massachusetts Department of Agriculture is now compiling information for the 1933 bulletin on Massachusetts Farms for Sale. This is a free service to residents of the Commonwealth. There has been an unusual demand for this bulletin so that the 1932 supply has been depleted for some time. Farmers and others from all over the country are seeking available places in which to locate in Massachusetts.

Anyone interested in having their farms listed may procure blanks from Dr. A. W. Gilbert's office in the Department of Agriculture at the State House or at the local Town Clerk's office.

BALLARDVALE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelson visited friends here on Wednesday.

Miss Annie Clemons entertained friends from Lynn at her home on Wednesday.

George Cheyne and Elwin Russell attended the Nationwide outing on Wednesday.

Russell Hall will be the leader of the Senior Christian Endeavor society meeting on Sunday evening at 6.

The Men's Club of the Union Congregational Church will meet on Monday evening, October 3rd in the church vestry.

Meetings of the Junior Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational Church will be resumed at 4.00. Sunday afternoon in the vestry.

The weekly meeting of the Union Congregational church Ladies' Aid society will be held at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. James Brierly as hostess..

"Special for Friday and Saturday: Frien'ds Oat Meal Bread, Maple Walnut Cakes, Cherry Pies and Cup Cakes—on sale at all independent stores."—Adv.

Articles for the annual fair were worked on at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George R. Moody, Marland road.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Union Congregational church was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. Harwood, River street. During the afternoon those present worked on articles that will be on sale at the annual fair that will be held on Friday evening, November 18th.

The following will be the order of Service in the Union Congregational Church School, at 11.40: Hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers"; Salute to the American Flag; Scripture Lesson, Dorothy Miller; Prayer, Frances Baker; Song, Miss Doris Kidd's Class and Miss Doris Shaw's Class; Exercise, Miss Buck's Class; Recitation, Lois Henderson; Song, Miss Muriel Comin's Class; A Story, Eleanor Dwyer; Song, Mrs. Rogge's Class; Recitation, Dorothea Dunn; Song. Members of the Primary Department; Story, "The Legend of the Cross", John Rogge; Hymn No. 99, "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus; and Church School Benediction.

Obituaries

AMIRAULT

The death of Miss Alma Amirault, which occurred on Wednesday evening at the Barr Sanitarium in Methuen, came as a great shock to her many friends here in Andover. Miss Amirault, who was the well-known tailoress on Barnard street, was removed to the sanitarium a week ago Tuesday and she submitted to a major operation at that time, from which she apparently was recovering. Complications set in and she had a relapse from which she could not rally.

Miss Amirault was born in Weymouth, Nova Scotia, where the body will be taken for burial. She had been in Andover for the past 18 years working at first for Theo. Muise as a tailoress and later setting up in the same business with her cousin Miss Agnes LeBlanc. During her Andover residence she made many friends in all walks of life, through her careful and business-like methods. She was a devout attendant of St. Augustine's church.

Miss Amirault is survived by an aged mother in Nova Scotia, two brothers and four sisters, one of whom is Mrs. George Muise of Bartlet street with whom she made her home, and a niece Miss Rita Muise. Mr. and Mrs. Muise and daughter will accompany the body to Weymouth, Nova Scotia, where burial will take place.

COLLINS

Mrs. Dennis (Driscoll) Collins, formerly of Andover and late of Hough's Neck, Quincy, died at her home Tuesday night after a short illness. She leaves to mourn her death one son, Fred J. of Hough's Neck; one daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Carlson of New York; two sisters, Mrs. William F. Eno of Everett, and Mrs. Carl Bloomquist of Baltimore; and three grandchildren.

The funeral was held this morning with a solemn high mass at 9 o'clock in the church of the Blessed Sacrament at Hough's Neck. Burial will be in St. Augustine's cemetery of Andover.

ROBERTSON

Death took a former well-known resident of Andover Sunday evening when Atty. Henry Albert Robertson passed away at the Isle Dale hospital in New York. The late Mr. Robertson is a native of Glasgow, Scotland. He was engaged in the law practice in New York for the last three years.

He is survived by his parents, J. Henry and Edna MacBeth Robertson; two sisters, Roberta Donald of Andover and Evelyn Hubbard of Englewood, N. J., two brothers, John D. of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Alvin W. of Belgium, and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the crematory chapel of D. V. MacBeth, East Lyme, R. I.

CUNNINGHAM

John C. Cunningham of Chesterfield, Mass., died last night at the Cooley Dickinson Hospital, Northampton, after a short illness.

Mr. Cunningham was born in Lawrence, Mass., September 26, 1872, the eldest son of Peter and Janet (Doughty) Cunningham.

Mr. Cunningham was employed as Paper Mill Representative of B. F. Perkins & Son, Inc., Holyoke, Mass. where he made his home until last November when the family moved to Chesterfield, Mass.

Mr. Cunningham was a member of Phoenecian Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Lawrence, Mass., a noble of Aleppo Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. of Boston, Mass.

He was a member of Technical Association of the Pulp & Paper Industry.

Besides his widow Susan M. he is survived by one daughter, Phyllis Janet, and one son, George Minard, three sisters, Mrs. D. D. Black of Andover, Mass.; Mrs. Arthur Amedee of Lawrence, Mass.; Mrs. Fred A. Upton of Reading, Mass.; three brothers, George D. address unknown, James B. of Arlington, Mass., and William M. of Lawrence, Mass.

The body will be at Edward's Funeral Home, 71 King street, Northampton until Friday morning when it will be sent to Andover, Mass. for burial in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Funeral services will be held at the home of his sister Mrs. D. D. Black, 72 Elm street, Andover, Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

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BALLARDVALE

Mrs. Dorothy Wrigley is ill at her home on Hall avenue.

Thomas Lynch has been enjoying his annual vacation.

Mrs. James Hudson has been ill at her home on Marland street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson of West Medway were recent visitors here.

Frank Cramton is making extensive repairs to his property on Andover street.

Mrs. Rankin Grant of Tewksbury street entertained relatives from Melrose on Monday.

Miss Alice Coates of Center street has been spending several days with friends in Boston.

Mrs. Fred Fone of Clarke road entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tibbetts of Nashua, N. H.

Mrs. Oliver Coates is spending several weeks in Manchester, N. H., with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hood.

Miss Ruth Davis was the guest on Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Davis of Andover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stevens of Center street have moved to the Marland property on Center street.

Mrs. Lillian Atwood has returned to her home in Nashua, N. H., after spending several weeks with relatives here.

Miss Frances Benson of Winthrop was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Frances Benson of Marland street.

Kindergarten classes started on Monday morning in the Bradlee School with Mrs. Ernest Rollins in charge.

The pins of the Cross and Crown system used in local Sunday schools will be awarded on Sunday, October 2.

Mrs. William Clemons of Andover street spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Derrah of Kingston Plains, N.H.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Cronin and children of Melrose spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Cronin of Center street.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. H. Harwood of River street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Zink of Chester street have returned to their home after spending several days on a motor trip to North Carolina.

Mrs. Annie Cummings and Miss Agnes Cummings were the guests on Sunday of Rev. and Mrs. Augustus Fuller of Tewksbury street.

The Ballardvale Athletic Association will play the Tewksbury Rangers next Sunday afternoon on the local grounds in the first game of the season.

Mrs. Edwin Brown and son Byron and Mrs. F. E. Chetwynde of Melrose left on Friday for Barrington, Nova Scotia, where they will spend two weeks.

Miss Margaret Mitchell has been appointed secretary of the Congregational Church school and Miss Ruth Scannell has been appointed treasurer.

A rehearsal of the cast of the play "Fog" which will be presented on Rally Day evening, October 2, in the Methodist Church was held on Wednesday evening.

Miss Christine Burns, a student nurse at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital of Boston spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Burns of Chester street.

Mrs. Everett W. Barrows and son Robert are spending several days with relatives in Newton. Mrs. Barrows' mother, Mrs. William Fessenden of Newton is seriously ill at the Newton Hospital.

Mrs. George R. Moody entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church on Wednesday afternoon. Business was transacted after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

The week-end party which was to have taken place from Friday to Sunday evening of this week, sponsored by the members of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church has been postponed to a later date.

The following persons are listed on the Hospitality Committee for the October meeting of the Ballardvale-Parent-Teacher Association: Fred Fone, James Kidd, Mrs. Howard Coon, and Mrs. Timothy Haggerty.

A delicious turkey supper was served to members of the Thimble Club on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Maxwell T. Lyons. The room and table were attractively decorated with autumn colors. A social and business session was held after the meeting.

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church will attend the District Convention to be held at Beverly at 10 o'clock, October 12. A basket lunch will be enjoyed after which games and other sporting events will be held. A banquet will be served in the evening followed by an address by a well known speaker.

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Women's Relief Corps

A business meeting and social hour were held by the Women's Relief Corps Tuesday night in G. A. R. hall. The next meeting will feature a rehearsal of all work done throughout the year because of the coming inspection of the post. Mrs. Edith Blaisdell and Miss Abbie Burtt acted as hostesses Tuesday night.

Courteous Circle

The Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters will hold their annual meeting Monday, October 3rd, at the South Church. Supper at 6.30 p.m. to be followed by business meeting and Consecration of Officers.

A. P. C. Sorority

The first meeting of the South church A. P. C. sorority will be held next Thursday. Supper will be served at 6.30 and installation of officers will follow. All members are urged to attend.

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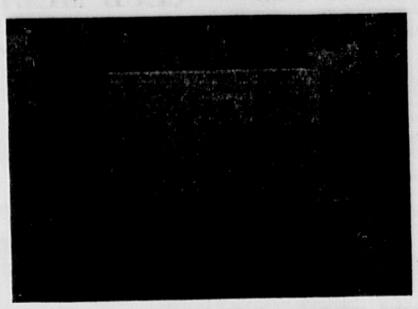
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substantial bank account, but they were immediately dropped when we made such discovery. We have had numerous cases where, after issuing work cards the recipient obtained other work and did not return his card to us, as they were clearly asked to do. They thus deprived somebody else of a day's work. We finally brought this practice to an end by refusing the offender work when, and if, he later returned to our list.

I am sure the townsfolk are deeply appreciative of the money raising activities of Messrs. Ripley, Jones and Fuess of the committee. The time-consuming activities of Mr. Curtis who has worked every Friday night from 7 to 11 personally issuing cards for the unemployed of the following week; the personal interest of that large employer of labor Mr. Lamont, who is responsible for many of the 50 whom we have placed at fairly steady employment in the mills; to Mr. Hulme our secretary for his careful keeping of records and bringing us the backing of the Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars; to Miss Kuhn and Mrs. Brigham for almost daily handling of special family cases best cared for by our women members. Philip F. Ripley contracted industries for us. These ladies have gone far beyond their required activities in relieving suffering and bring a degree of peace and happiness into stricken homes. There was the case of a mother hopelessly involved with a small loan agency. One of our members personally undertook the duty of permanently relieving her of her burden.

We might have done more, but funds were hard to get due to the constant agitation for special town meetings. Generously-minded people said they would gladly give, if they were assured the job was not to be taken out of our hands by a town meeting vote. Naturally we could not assure them of the permanency of our organization and the work had to suffer. Furthermore at times we half hoped that we would be relieved by a town appropriation from the details and irritations of what, from its very nature must be a thankless job.

On the one hand we must wheedle funds from our friends, and on the other hold off the demands of a certain type of unemployed who claims it is the duty of his neighbors to support him during his period of enforced idleness. We exhaust every source in trying to find jobs for our people. Our clerk goes to all Andover industrial plants each week, where in every case she is allowed access to pay roll lists and receives the heartiest cooperation.

Whatever success we've had up to date is due in a large measure to the constant, and hearty co-operation of town officials, namely selectmen, Board of Public Works, Spring Grove Cemetery Trustees and the Tree and Moth Departments. During September after some discussion the Board of Public Works found means to employ 50 men one day each week for three weeks. This contribution of 150 days to us when our funds were drying up during the past few weeks was a big help to us. Mr. Hardy and Dr. Daly have gone far beyond their official duties in pressing the wants of our committee upon the Shawsheen Mills and other local industries and with all these co-operative factors it is difficult to see where we missed any opportunity. Even the police have stood by and frequently sent a motor policeman far into the town to get one of our workers into a mill so his job would not be lost by delay.

In conclusion, I sincerely believe that most of the unemployed counted upon this committee to see them through this crisis. This has been made clear to us whenever certain voices announced themselves as unemployed "representatives." Naturally there is some complaint from a man with a family, willing to work, who can get from us only $3.20 or $6.40 for his week's pay. And who can blame him? But $500 per week amounts to more than $25,000 per year and we know the unemployed on the whole are deeply grateful.

Mr. Kidd: This Emergency Committee has been more of a detriment than good. In the first place the gentlemen on the Emergency Committee exploited the rates for town labor from 56 1-2c to 40c per hour. I believe that if the Emergency Committee is going to handle this money they should not be allowed to do so unless the prevailing rate of wages be paid.

George M. Squires: I didn't intend to speak at this meeting. But you haven't heard how the town is to get this money, or who is to get it back. We must remember that we have to keep our taxes down. I am here to make a suggestion. The credit standing of this town and the borrowing capacity is very good. We could take out a five-year note. Then we could raise our taxes a little so as to be able to pay the interest on that note. (laughter) Or, we could let the note ride. (more laughter) I am one who owes taxes and I am not ashamed to admit it, and I see no way of being able to pay them.

Mr. Kidd: I move that the article be adopted. I understand that the moderator is a law unto himself.

Moderator: That is news to the moderator.

John Traynor: It seems to me that the most important point is to keep within the law. We are wasting time here tonight. I move that the article be postponed indefinitely.

Moved: That article two be postponed indefinitely.

Article 3. To see if the Town of Andover will vote that the prevailing rate of wages be paid for all Town Work done under the direction of any of the Town Departments.

Moderator: I would like to ask Mr. Hardy what he has to tell us about this article.

Mr. Hardy: The letter which I have from Mr. Fenton, reads as follows: "Any action taken by the town under article three would be merely an expression of the wish of the voters present at the meeting, as under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, section 108, the salary or compensation of employees of the town, except elective officers, must be fixed by the boards or heads of departments employing them."

Mr. Kidd: I would like to ask Mr. Hardy if he would justify the rate of 40c per hour. Let us have more on the legality of the 40c per hour.

Mr. Hardy: I was not aware that any 40c per hour had been adopted.

Mr. Traynor: I move that the article be indefinitely postponed.

Voted: That article three be indefinitely postponed.

Article 4. To see if the Town of Andover will vote to have Andover's Board of Public Welfare spend two thirds of money now on hand to provide work for unemployed citizens.

Moderator: What have you on this, Mr. Hardy? (laughter)

Mr. Hardy: The following is from a letter received from Mr. Edward Fenton, Acting Director of Accounts at the State House. "Any action taken by the town under article four would merely be an expression of the opinion of the voters present at the meeting as the board of public welfare has complete charge of the funds voted for its use and could not be required by vote of the town to use funds under its control for providing work for unemployed citizens."

Mr. Traynor: I move that the article be indefinitely postponed.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone article four.

Article 5. To see if the Town of Andover will vote to adopt a 40 hour, 5 day week.

Moderator: Have you anything on this article, Mr. Hardy? (laughter)

Mr. Hardy: From the same letter from Mr. Fenton: "Article five appears to be rather indefinite as to just what is intended, that is, whether the 40 hour, 5 day week is intended to apply to all town officials and employees or merely to labor services. It would seem to me that the only action possible under this article would be the appointment of a committee to report back at a future meeting on the right of the town to take any action in a matter of this kind."

Mr. Traynor: I move that the article be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Squires: I move that you hand Mr. Hardy the gavel.

Voted: To indefinitely postpone article five.

Article 6. To discuss ways and means of eliminating Andover's unemployed problems. To elect from among those present a body of citizens for that purpose. Their duty to be to endeavor to bring to Andover good sound industries and to appropriate a sum of money necessary for any expenses required for this purpose.

Moderator: We will see what Mr. Hardy has on this one. (laughter)

Mr. Hardy: Mr. Fenton says "Under article six, while a committee of citizens might be elected at the meeting for the purpose of attempting to solve Andover's unemployment problems and trying to induce industries to locate in the town, these are not purposes for which the town could legally appropriate money."

Mr. Traynor: Ladies and gentlemen, doesn't this seem like so much nonsense. We should have only one town meeting, and that one our annual meeting. I move that the article be indefinitely postponed.

Nathaniel Stowers: I would like to reserve the right after this motion is taken, to speak on the first sentence of that article. That is, to discuss ways and means of eliminating Andover's unemployed problems.

Moderator: I think that should come up at the close of the meeting under other business.

Mr. Stowers: The people will be all gone then.

Moderator: They haven't begun to leave yet.

Mr. O'Connell: I would like to say at this time, that there is no expense whatsoever connected with running the Andover Emergency Committee. The Red Cross have cooperated and have paid for such things as are not donated.

Moderator: Are you ready for the question?

Voted: To indefinitely postpone article six.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the unexpended balances of Article 8 (installation of 6" water main on public way between Chestnut Street and Summer Street) and Article 9 (installation of sewer main on public way between Chestnut Street and Summer Street) of the annual 1932 Warrant which amounts to $1,665.27, for the purpose of building gravel roads, pursuant to Chapter 428 of the Acts of 1931, on petition of the Board of Public Works.

William D. McIntyre: I would like to ask for the transfer of that money because it would not affect the tax rate which was established last March. In transferring that money it does not mean an increase in taxes.

Mr. O'Connell: In rising to second the motion of Mr. McIntyre to adopt this article I would like to say that during our campaign the Board of Public Works has been most helpful. They have used our labor as far as possible, and have relieved our burden extensively. If this money is transferred it will not mean an increase in taxes for this year. I move that it be adopted.

Voted: To adopt article seven.

Article 8. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Public Works to extend the water main along Beacon Street northerly from the corner of Chandler Road and Beacon Street a distance of about 2900 feet to the property of Louis Cyr and appropriate the sum of two thousand ($2000) dollars to cover the cost of material therefor. On petition of Fabien Matton et al.

Fabien Matton: I would like to see this article accepted. There is no water up there, and the sum is so small I don't see why we can't have it. If this were brought up at the town meeting the expense would be much more. We have ten in our family and I have to carry water home after work every night, and that is no easy task. My children play a lot and get dirty and they need a lot of water for baths.

Dr. Jeremiah J. Daly: Several wells in that vicinity are contaminated. Some years ago a family up there developed typhoid fever and the whole family were sent to a hospital and the town had to pay the expense. If there is some labor available this work should be done. The services of a man with a steam shovel have been offered, and the $2000.00 asked would cover the cost of pipe and supervision. They asked last March for $7200.00 and the job can now be done for $2000.00. I think it is a bargain for the town.

Mr. McIntyre: I dislike to disagree with the doctor, but we feel this way. In the expenditure you have allowed us only $2000.00. You ask us to furnish supervision which we will gladly do, but we do not know of any board or individual who stands in back of us for the difference, which is about $3800.00.

Dr. Daly: A man has offered his services and a steam shovel to take off the first two feet. If the man does not fulfill his agreement and the Unemployment Bureau does not function the job cannot be done.

Mr. Kidd: I think it will cost more like $5000.00.

Mr. O'Connell: I assure you this will be my last appearance tonight. This matter has been put before the Emergency Committee and this is the way we figure it out. The $2000.00 will buy the pipe and materials. The Unemployment Committee will furnish the labor, and with the offer of a man and steam shovel, this would be a good bargain for the town. As a matter of fact we think these people here will lose nothing by waiting until the next town meeting. It will be difficult to get this job going at this time with the possibility of frost. (Confusion) I agree with Dr. Daly that the wells are contaminated. I have here a letter we received from the Board of Health to that effect.

"On Sept. 16th we received a request from the Tax Payers Asso. to investigate the condition of the water supply on Beacon Street.

On Sept. 17th Mrs. Johnson investigated and reported that 11 families consisting of between 90 and 100 persons were using a so-called Community Spring and water from a Town Hydrant on Chandler Road.

Advice was sought from the State Dept. of Health and on Sept. 19th the Board of Health with Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Curtis of the Tax Payers Asso. and Mr. Gilliard of the Board of Public Works accompanied one of the State Engineers to the location.

Tonight at 4.45 we received a telephone report from Mr. Weston, Chief Engineer of the State Dept. of Health as follows:

Well of Alfred Blanchette should be condemned, cesspool 40 feet distant, small piggery and sink drain source of possible polution.

Well of Fabian Matton must be condemned. Worst ever examined by the State Dept. of Health. Apparently located in ledge as is also the Septic Tank. Well apparently contains nothing except sewage.

The so-called Community Spring is at the present time absolutely safe for drinking. It is recommended however, that should the spring continue to be used it should be enclosed and built up with a cement collar and covered. It should have an over-flow pipe to fill containers."

Mr. Frost: I heard about this matter so I asked if I might go up and examine it. I went up the very next day in all the rain and called at one of the homes where there were ten. I found an excellent pump and I found excellent faucets and a bathroom in the house, but in working the pump I got no water. They carry water in big cans from a spring. I think the surplus money from water rates should be expended until everybody in town has water. I simply make this as a suggestion.

Voted: to adopt article 8.

Article 9. To see if the town will accept Sections 21 to 25 inclusive of Chapter 136, General Laws, making it lawful to take part in or witness any athletic outdoor sport or game on the Lord's Day, subject to such regulations and restrictions as shall be prescribed from time to time by the Selectmen. On petition of John Mullen et al.

Motion made that the article be accepted.

Mr. Frost: I do think before we take action on that we should understand what the law is about it, so I asked at the town house what the law said.

Edward J. Dombrowski: Does he think we are going to be like him sit in the house and read all day Sunday. We want the right to live. We all like to play baseball and football and Sunday is the only day we have to play it. Just because he didn't like baseball when he was a kid he wants to deny us the privilege. We go to Boston to see the Braves and the Red Sox play and pay 75c for that. We go to Lawrence and pay what we want to see a soccer game, but we can't see any sports in our own town. How many of you big shots go and shoot golf at the Andover Country Club? And how much does that cost? I've heard it costs $150.00 a year and we can't pay that. How much do we have to pay to play tennis at Shawsheen, or to go to the movies in Lawrence? Andover should allow these sports for the young people. If that man wants to read a book all day Sunday let him go out in the country by himself where he belongs, but give us our Sunday sports. (prolonged applause)

Mr. Traynor: The great State of Massachusetts passed that law but the town of Andover refused to accept it. The time has come when the town of Andover should accept it. I belong to the greatest race of men in the world and they go to mass on Sundays, but they play ball just the same. The young people of Andover should have the right to have their Sundays to themselves as they wish to use it.

William C. Crowley: It is the only solution. I appeal to the people to adopt this article.

Frederick Symonds: Since there are so many loafing in Andover they can play ball during the week instead of Sunday.

Voted: To accept article 9.

Article 10. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Nathaniel Stowers: You have probably heard the greatest applause ever given a speaker and I hope the article I wish to present will receive the same applause. I move that a vote of confidence and appreciation be given the Andover Emergency Committee and I further move that this committee be requested to continue, and that an appeal for subscriptions be made in order to supplement the subscriptions of the town employees.

Voted: To accept this article.

Mr. Traynor: You should begin thinking about your telephone business. That may up for re-election this fall.

Meeting adjourned at 9.25 P.M.

Andover Woman Writes of Trip

Mrs. Frances P. McClellan, recently returned from Jullouville-Les-Pins, France, has written the following very interesting commentary on her trip. Mrs. McClellan brought back on her return many articles which she is offering for sale at her gift shop at the corner of Orchard and South Main streets.

"When I visited my daughter in France, it didn't surprise me to find her ultra-modern house tinted pink, orange and lemon, nearly as much as that really nice French women never smoke and ear-rings are passe. On the magnificent Jullouville beach at low tide, the tall, sturdy sun-burned Parisians, chic and exclusive (I never saw one fat woman among them) enjoy pushing huge hand nets along in the shallow water, catching large sardines; or else they dig shell fish. These women, who never wear stockings nor sleeves, plunge in the breakers and stay wet for hours during a storm, while I was cold in a jersey dress and winter coat. Their resistance is due to having no furnaces in the winter, always having their windows open and eating out-of-doors. Their swimming though, doesn't amount to much—they declared my family comes out of the water the next day.

"The gay beach tents are centers for larger families than we see among the upper classes. These children are bewitchingly adorable, neither forward nor shy and receive the major attention from their parents' friends. They never appear on the beach, nor leave it, without shaking hands among themselves, after having done so with the grown people first.

"They have all sorts of kites, model airplanes and toys, many games are played on the sand; their gymnastics and races are amusing. The little ones showed much imagination in pretending they were make-believe people and their stories and conversation were delicious.

"My painting things, some Indian tales and the gross peculiarity of coming from America made a great hit, as much so as the Spanish gypsies and one family circus, that encamped in the next lot.

"Every Sunday there is a boat race or a horse race on the beach or a country fair or some athletic contest in the back country with delightful peasant dance halls. A rodeo of Cossacks was the most thrilling exploit I ever saw.

"One shouldn't pass an acquaintance without shaking hands and answering "Comment ca va?" even if you have to cross the street to do it again with the same person five minutes afterwards, when you shake hands as punctiliously as if it were the first greeting that day. Then another time still, if you run into that friend round the next corner. It makes you late for dejeuner but you feel flattered.

"One day at high tide the fishing fleet was close in, the clouds were partly gleaming, half dark, the water turquoise, pink and pea green with patterns of deep blue shadows; all the gorgeously tinted sails, though full-bellied in the whistling wind, stood immovable against the draught of fishes in the nets. They were in a certain 'fishing hole' where the old monks of Mt. St. Michel loaded their guts."

To Hold Tests for U. S. Academies

The war and navy departments have notified Congressman Edith Nourse Rogers that she is entitled to designate from the present fifth district two candidates for cadets in the U. S. Military Academy at West Point and two candidates for midshipmen in the Naval Academy at Annapolis. She is also entitled to designate four alternates for the West Point course and six alternates for the Annapolis course. The successful candidates will enter the academies next summer.

Mrs. Rogers' statement of her method of procedure follows in part:

"The men whom I shall designate, both as principals and alternates, to enter the examinations for admission will be selected as a result of a district-wide competitive examination. This examination, which is entirely unofficial, I have requested the United States Civil Service Commission to hold, and the Commission will, without my intervention, prepare the questions, hold the examination, correct the papers, and certify to me the ranks and relative standing of the competitors. This examination will be held at the new Post Office, Lowell, Mass., on October 22, 1952, at 9 a.m.

I have requested the Civil Service Commission to give an examination of substantially the same degree of difficulty and in the same subjects as those which comprise the examination for admission to the academies. The examination will consist (for the Naval Academy) of algebra, plane geometry, English composition and literature, history of the United States, ancient history, and physics, (science). The examination for the Military academy will consist of algebra, plane geometry, English grammar, composition and literature, general and United States history.

The highest in rank at the mental examination of October 22, 1932, I shall cause to be examined by an official United States medical examiner, on a date to be set later, but subsequent to October 22, 1932. If all pass the physical test—which I shall request the examiner to make almost, but not quite, as rigorous as the official test will be—I shall designate them in order of mental rank. If one or more fail, I shall designate in order of rank those who pass, causing those next in mental rank to be examined physically until I am able to designate the men as principals and alternates who shall be the highest in the mental examination and who are able to pass the physical test.

The e will be no expense whatever involved in takin the above mental and physical examinations, other than the item of the applicant's travel. The examination I desire to be absolutely free to every young man residing in the Fifth District who will be within the proper age limits prescribed by the government as stated below.

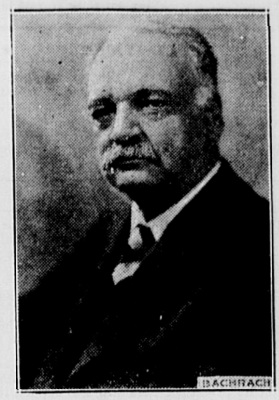
The candidates designated as principals and as alternates will receive from the respective Departments a letter of appointment, and they must appear for official examination at the time and place designated therein, before a board of Officers convened by the Departments. Graduates of certain approved schools and colleges may be declared eligible for admission without official mental examination. The principals and alternates must be citizens of the United States and actual residents of the Fifth District, and must have reached their sixteenth birthday, but not their twentieth on April 1, 1933 for entrance into the Naval Academy, and must have reached their seventeenth birthday, but not their twenty-second on July 1, 1933, for entrance into the Military Academy.

Although I expect to appoint applicants in order of qualification as above indicated, I reserve the right to reject any applicant who in character, temperament or other respect, may seem to me to be unfitted to make a successful officer. I also reserve the right to modify, as may seem necessary, any or all of the foregoing conditions prescribed by me.

Copies of this circular and official pamphlets, giving in detail the physical, mental and other requirements of the government and specimen examination papers, will gladly be sent free on request.

Those desiring to take the unofficial examination of October 22, 1932, should furnish me with their names and addresses as soon as possible, but in no event later than October 8, that I may be able to forward to each a card of authorization to take the examination."

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